

Vacancy: Senior Analyst, Private Markets
Ref: SAPM-17
Team: Investments
Salary: Dependent on Skills, Qualifications and Experience
Location: Ideally London (Southwark- Union Street) or Lancashire (Preston)

The Local Pensions Partnership Investments Ltd (LPPI) is a successful collaboration between two LGPS funds which has created an FCA-regulated structure for asset pooling and an organisation focused on managing assets and liabilities (risk) together in order to improve long-term fund performance, stabilise contributions and reduce deficits.

The Role

LPPI are seeking an experienced Senior Private Markets Analyst to join a busy and growing in-house Investment Team. The role is primarily responsible for providing analytical support to the team in order to maintain and accelerate the LPPI's investments into private market assets which will include private equity, infrastructure and other alternatives. Reporting to the Investment Director, the successful candidate will work within a small sub team dedicated to alternative/private market assets and will have the opportunity lead individual transactions as well as support colleagues on wider research initiatives.

The LPPI investment universe incorporates a broad range of assets spanning public and private markets including significant allocations to private equity, alternative credit, real estate, infrastructure and other alternative assets. A mixture of internal and external allocations are managed by the team with direct, internal management an increasing focus.

Role requirements/experience sought:

- 3-5 years' experience gained within an alternatives research role) or within a direct investment role in private equity or infrastructure.
- High degree of familiarity with alternative asset classes (Private Equity, Infrastructure, Real estate)
- Developed industry contact network for investment opportunity origination.
- Ability to manage multiple projects and work autonomously.
- Qualitative and quantitative analytical capabilities including use of spreadsheets and database software.
- Experience and/or interest in co-investment and direct deals.
- Experience across full life cycle of transaction management including origination, due diligence, negotiation and implementation.
- Strong Modelling Skills.

The successful candidates will be skilled at dealing with people at all levels, comfortable handling confidential information and have the ability to manage multiple requests across the organisation. Excellent communication and influencing skills, with a high attention to detail and demonstrable experience in articulating recommendations, are essential pre-requisites for this position.

In addition, candidates should be a lateral thinker who can both plan and prioritise a demanding multi-disciplined workload. Working within a small, but hard working team environment, applicants will ideally have a naturally outgoing personality, will have the ability to work under pressure, will be pro-active rather than re-active and have a real 'can do' approach.

The successful applicant should have good general IT skills including experience in the use of Microsoft Office.

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How to Apply:

To apply, please send an up to date C.V. and covering letter demonstrating how you meet the requirements of the person specification along with your current remuneration by email to careers@localpensionspartnership.org.uk

Optionally you may also complete our application form along with our equal opportunities and rehabilitation of offender's forms which are necessary for monitoring purposes. These forms including the application form are available on the LPP website alternatively please email the LPP HR team at the mailbox below to request these.

We invite all applicants to **apply as soon as possible** and please note that the campaign will close when sufficient applications have been received.

We regret that we will only be able to respond to successful applicants.

Please note that as part of the recruitment process, candidates may be invited to complete both ability and psychometric assessments and will receive feedback.

For any questions around applying and/or further details in relation to the position please do not hesitate to contact the HR team on 0207-369-6030

LPPI is keen to promote a diverse workforce to maximise our ability to provide quality services to all our customers. All applicants who are known to be disabled and who meet the minimum criteria for the role will progress to the next stage of the recruitment process. We welcome applications from minority ethnic candidates and those with disabilities who are currently under-represented in our organisation.